

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

ADDRESS TO: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket No.:	01-057
	Application No.:	09/744,659
	USPTO Confirmation No.:	3396
	Filing Date:	April 18, 2001
	First Named Inventor:	Chevaller
	Group Art Unit:	1648
Examiner:	U. Winkler	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to and including December 13, 2003.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

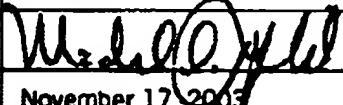
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

Please charge Deposit Account Number 13-2490 for the amount of \$110.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

Name	Michael S. Greenfield
Reg. No.	37,142
Signature	
Date	November 17, 2003

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(Case No. 01-057)

In the Application of:

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Serial No.: 09/744,659

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Confirmation No.: 3396

FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Mail Stop NonFee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450
Facsimile: 1-703-308-4242
Total Pages: 10

Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Petition for One-Month Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a); and
 - b) Response to the Office Action Mailed on August 13, 2003.
2. With respect to fees:
 - a) Please charge our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490 in the amount of \$110.00.
 - b) Please charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment our Deposit Account, No. 13-2490.
3. CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1, are being transmitted via facsimile (703-308-4242) to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on November 17, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,


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Dated: November 17, 2003

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